

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Yaver et al.

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For: Methods for Identifying Markers of Antimicrobial Compounds

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed **November 2, 2006**.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of **3 months** from **February 2, 2007** to **May 2, 2007**. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be **\$1020.00**.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be **\$1020.00**, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701.

Respectfully submitted,

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